PARRIS N. GLENDENING, Governor

STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS

ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND

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AN ACT concerning

Jury Trials - Civil Proceedings

FOR the purpose of providing that the right to a jury trial in civil proceedings preserved by Article 23 of the Declaration of Rights applies when the amount in controversy exceeds \$10,000; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Maryland for their adoption or rejection.

And it is hereby certified that at said election, 832,163 votes were cast for the adoption of said Chapter 322 and 372,034 votes were cast against the adoption of said Chapter 322, the said Chapter 322 of the Acts of 1998 has therefore been ratified.

GIVEN Under My Hand and the Great Seal of Maryland, Done at the City of Annapolis, this 30th day of November, In the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-eight.

(Seal of State Administrative Board of Election Laws)

> Linda H. Lamone Administrator

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